GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT



Application No. 14967, of the Clover F Street Associates Limited Partnership, pursuant to 11 DCMR 3107.2, for a variance from the rear yard requirements (Sub-section 774.1), and a variance from the provision that a mechanical penthouse be set back from all exterior walls a distance at least equal to its height above the roof upon which it is located and shall not exceed 18 feet 6 inches in height above the roof upon which it is located (Sub-section 400.8) for the proposed construction of a retail, office and accessory parking structure in a C-4 District at premises 920-930 F Street, N.W., (Square 377, Lots 823, 824, 825, and 826).

HEARING DATE:

March 8, 1989

DECISION DATE:

March 8, 1989 (Bench Decision)

SUMMARY ORDER

The Board duly provided timely notice of the public hearing on this application, by publication in the D.C. Register, and by mail to ANC 2C and to owners of property within 200 feet of the site.

The site of the application is located in Advisory Neighborhood Commission ("ANC") 2C. ANC 2C, which is automatically a party to the application, by letter dated February 17, 1989, submitted written issues and concerns in support of the application.

As directed by 11 DCMR 3324.2, the Board has required the applicant to satisfy the burden of proving the elements which are necessary to establish the case for a variance from the strict application of the requirements of 11 DCMR 774.1 and 400.8. No person or entity appeared at the hearing or otherwise requested to participate as a party in this proceeding. Accordingly, a decision by the Board to grant this application would not be adverse to any party.

Based upon the record before the Board, the Board concludes that the applicant has met the burden of proof, pursuant to 11 DCMR 3107, and that the requested relief can be granted without substantial detriment to the public good and without substantially impairing the intent, purpose, and integrity of the zone plan as embodied in the Zoning Regulations and maps. It is therefore ORDERED that the application is GRANTED, SUBJECT to the following CONDITIONS:

- 1. The exterior design details of the project may be adjusted to reflect any design changes that are required by the final approval of the Historic Preservation Review Board.
- 2. The applicant shall retain the flexibility to increase or decrease the number of parking spaces to be provided in the project no more than fifty percent. In addition, the layout of the spaces and the configuration of the aisles may be adjusted.

Pursuant to 11 DCMR 3301.1, the Board has determined to waive the requirement of 11 DCMR 3331.3 that the order of the Board be accompanied by findings of fact and conclusions of law. The waiver will not prejudice the rights of any party, and is not prohibited by law.

VOTE: 5-0

(Paula L. Jewell, Charles R. Norris, William F. McIntosh, Maybelle Taylor Bennett and Carrie L. Thornhill to grant).

BY ORDER OF THE D.C. BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

ATTESTED BY:

EDWARD L. CURRY
Executive Director

MAR 2 / 1989

FINAL DATE OF ORDER:

UNDER 11 DCMR 3103.1, "NO DECISION OR ORDER OF THE BOARD SHALL TAKE EFFECT UNTIL TEN DAYS AFTER HAVING BECOME FINAL PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE BEFORE THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT."

THIS ORDER OF THE BOARD IS VALID FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDER, UNLESS WITHIN SUCH PERIOD AN APPLICATION FOR A BUILDING PERMIT OR CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY IS FILED WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS.

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APPLICATION No. 14967

As Acting Executive Director of the Board of Zoning Adjustment, I hereby certify and attest to the fact that a copy of the Order of the Board in the above numbered case, said Order dated _______, has been mailed postage prepaid to each party who appeared and participated in the public hearing concerning this matter, and who is listed below:

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DATE: